



**Verizon New England Inc.
d/b/a Verizon New Hampshire**

State of New Hampshire

Docket No. DT 07-011

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REQUEST: NECTA/Comcast Phone, Rebuttal Testimony Data Request

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ITEM: NECTA/CPNH R-11 Please refer to pages 14-16 of your rebuttal. Please confirm Verizon's positions that (a) it does not regard state by state or system by system cutovers as practicable and (b) that its existing systems are unavailable as back-up for FairPoint's new systems in the event that cutover occurs and FairPoint's new systems do not function as effectively or operate as planned.

REPLY:

- (a) Verizon does not regard state by state or system by system cutovers as practicable. Please also see Verizon NH's reply to Staff R-3.
- (b) Verizon's existing systems are unavailable as back-up for FairPoint's new systems in the event that cutover occurs and FairPoint's new systems do not function as effectively or operate as planned.

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